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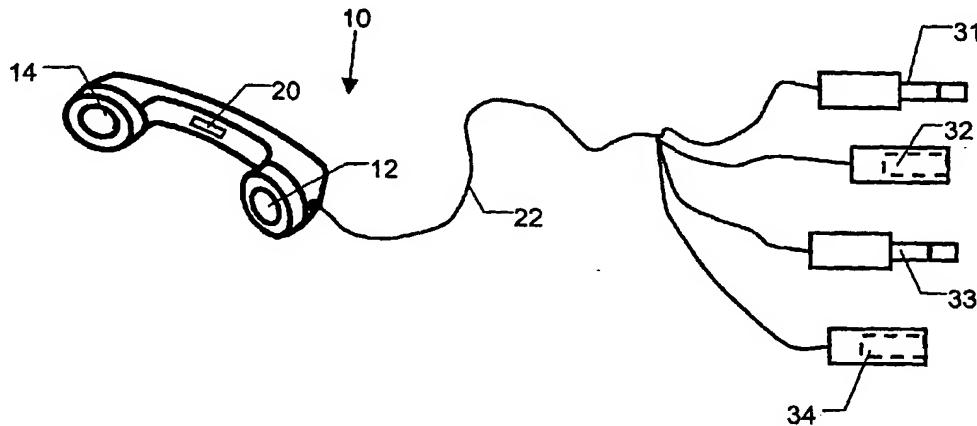
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(54) Title: A MICROPHONE/EAR-HEADPHONE UNIT AND A COMPUTER SYSTEM



(57) Abstract: The invention concerns a unit (10) with a microphone part (12) and an ear-headphone part (14). The ear-headphone part (14) is intended to be arranged at or held against the ear of a user while the microphone part (12) is intended to be arranged near the user's mouth. The unit (10) can be connected to a computer (16) in order to enable conversational communication via the computer (16). The computer (16) may also have a built-in loudspeaker or can be connected to a loudspeaker which can be a desk or floor loudspeaker (18). The unit (10) has a switching member (20). In a first switching state, the unit (10) is connected for use for conversational communication. In a second switching state, at least said ear-headphone part (14) is not active while said desk or floor loudspeaker (18) or built-in loudspeaker is active. The invention also concerns a computer system comprising a unit (10) according to the above.

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